IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claims 2, 3, 5, 7, 8, 10, 12, 13, 15, 17 and 18, without prejudice or disclaimer of subject matter, and amend Claims 1, 4, 6, 9, 11, 14, 19, 21, 23, 24 and 26-28. The following is a complete listing of claims and replaces all prior versions and listings of claims in the present application:

Claim 1 (currently amended): A print processing method for executing print processing upon exchanging print information with a device connected via a network, comprising:

a step of submitting print information, which has been generated by one device, to another device and starting a print job;

an input step of inputting a type of failure of the print job to be aborted and a type of failure of the print job to be suspended via an input unit;

a detection step of detecting whether a failure has occurred on the side of the one device during the submission of the print information;

a step of determining to abort or[[,]] suspend ~~or resume~~ processing of [[a]] the print job, which is currently being submitted, in accordance with the detection ~~made at said detection step~~ made in said detection step and the types of failures inputted in said input step; and

a step of reporting abort or[[,]] suspension ~~or resumption~~ of processing to the other device, which receives the print information, as notification of control of the print job in accordance with the determination made.

Claims 2 and 3 (canceled)

Claim 4 (currently amended): The method according to claim 1, wherein, in a case where a failure that occurred is eliminated at detection performed [[at]] in said step for detecting whether a failure has occurred, said determining step ~~determines~~ includes determining to resume processing of the suspended print job.

Claim 5 (canceled)

Claim 6 (currently amended): A storage medium storing a program for executing print processing upon exchanging print information with a device connected via a network, the program having:

code of a step of submitting print information, which has been generated by one device, to another device and starting a print job;

code of an input step of inputting a type of failure of the print job to be aborted and a type of failure of the print job to be suspended via an output unit;

code of a detection step of detecting whether a failure has occurred on the side of the one device during the submission of the print information;

code of a step of determining to abort[[, ]] or suspend ~~or resume~~ processing of [[a ]] the print job, which is currently being submitted, in accordance with the detection made by said code of the detection step of the types of failure inputted by said code of the input step ~~made at said detection step~~; and

code of a step of reporting abort[[,]] or suspension ~~or resumption~~ of processing to the other device, which receives the print information, as notification of control of the print job in accordance with the determination made.

Claims 7 and 8 (canceled)

Claim 9 (currently amended): The storage medium according to claim 6, wherein, in a case where a failure that occurred is eliminated at detection performed by the code of said step for detecting whether a failure has occurred, the code of said determining step determines to resume processing of the suspended print job.

Claim 10 (canceled)

Claim 11 (currently amended): A printing control system for executing print processing upon exchanging print information with a device connected via a network, comprising:

means for submitting print information, which has been generated by one device, to another device and starting a print job;

input means for inputting a type of failure of the print job to be aborted and a type of failure of the print job to be suspended;

detection means for detecting whether a failure has occurred on the side of the one device during the submission of the print information;

means for determining to abort[[,]] or suspend ~~or resume~~ processing of [[a]] the print job, which is currently being submitted, in accordance with the detection ~~made by said detection means~~ made by said detection means and the types of failures inputted by said input means; and

means for reporting abort[[,]] or suspension ~~or resumption~~ of processing to the other device, which receives the print information, as notification of control of the print job in accordance with the determination made.

Claims 12 and 13 (canceled)

Claim 14 (currently amended): The system according to claim 11, wherein, in a case where a failure that occurred is eliminated at detection performed by said means for detecting whether a failure has occurred, said determining means determines to resume processing of the suspended print job.

Claim 15 (canceled)

Claim 16 (original): The system according to claim 11, wherein devices connected via the network include a copier.

Claims 17 and 18 (canceled)

Claim 19 (currently amended): A printing control apparatus for transmitting print information via a network to cause another apparatus to perform printing, comprising:

submitting means for submitting a print job to the other apparatus, said print job consisting of print information that has been generated by scanning in a document;

input means for inputting a type of failure of the print job to be aborted;

detection means for detecting a failure occurring in the printing control apparatus during the submission of the print information;

determination means for determining whether the failure detected by said detection means is the type of failure of the print job to be aborted, the types of failures being inputted by said input means; and

command transmitting means for transmitting a command to abort processing of [[a]] the currently submitted print job to the other apparatus in accordance with a failure that has occurred ~~in said printing control apparatus during submission of the print job~~ in a case where said determination means determines that the failure detected by said detection means is the type of failure of the print job to be aborted.

Claim 20 (original): The apparatus according to claim 19, wherein said printing control apparatus is a copier.

Claim 21 (currently amended): A printing control apparatus for transmitting print information via a network to cause another apparatus to perform printing, comprising:

submitting means for submitting a print job to the other apparatus, ~~said~~ the print job consisting of print information that has been generated by scanning in a document;

input means for inputting a type of failure of the print job to be suspended ;

detection means for detecting a failure occurring in the printing control apparatus during the submission of the print information;

determination means for determining whether the failure detected by said detection means is the type of failure of the print job to be suspended, the types of failures being inputted by said input means; and

command transmitting means for transmitting a command to suspend processing of a currently submitted print job to the other apparatus in accordance with a failure that has occurred ~~in said printing control apparatus during submission of the print job~~ in a case where said determination means determines that the failure detected by said detection means is the type of failure of the print job to be suspended.

Claim 22 (original): The apparatus according to claim 21, wherein said printing control apparatus is a copier.

Claim 23 (currently amended): The apparatus according to claim 21, wherein said command transmitting means transmits a command to resume processing of a currently submitted print job to the other apparatus in accordance with elimination of the failure; and

~~said~~ the other apparatus halts processing of the currently submitted print job until a command to resume processing of the print job is received following receipt of the command to suspend processing of the print job.

Claim 24 (currently amended): A printing control apparatus for transmitting print information via a network to cause another apparatus to perform printing, comprising:

submitting means for submitting a print job to the other apparatus, said print job consisting of print information that has been generated by scanning in a document;

input means for inputting a type of failure of the print job to be aborted and a type of failure of the print job to be suspended;

detection means for detecting a failure occurring in the printing control apparatus during the submission of the print information;

determination means for determining whether ~~to abort or suspend processing of a currently submitted print job in accordance with a failure that has occurred in said printing control apparatus during submission of the print job~~ the failure detected by said detection means is the type of failure of the print job to be aborted or the type of failure of the print job to be suspended, the types of failures being inputted by said input means; and

command transmitting means for transmitting a command to abort or a command to suspend processing of [[a]] the currently submitted print job to the other apparatus in accordance with the determination made by said determination means.

Claim 25 (original): The apparatus according to claim 24, wherein said printing control apparatus is a copier.

Claim 26 (currently amended): A printing control method for transmitting print information via a network to cause another apparatus to perform printing, comprising:

a submitting step of submitting a print job from one apparatus to the other apparatus, ~~said~~ the print job consisting of print information that has been generated by scanning in a document; [[and]]

an input step of inputting a type of failure of the print job to be aborted via an input unit;

a detection step of detecting a failure occurring in the printing control apparatus during the submission of the print information;

a determination step of determining whether the failure detected in said detection step is the type of failure of the print job to be aborted, the types of failures being inputted in said input step; and

a command transmitting step of transmitting a command to abort processing of [[a]] the currently submitted print job from said one apparatus to the other apparatus ~~in accordance with a failure that has occurred in said one apparatus during submission of the print job~~ in a case where it is determined in said determination step that the failure detected in said detection step is the type of failure of the print job to be aborted.

Claim 27 (currently amended): A printing control method for transmitting print information via a network to cause another apparatus to perform printing, comprising:

a submitting step of submitting a print job from one apparatus to the other apparatus, said print job consisting of print information that has been generated by scanning in a document;

an input step of inputting a type of failure of the print job to be suspended via an input unit;

a detection step of detecting a failure occurring in the printing control apparatus during the submission of the print information;

a determination step of determining whether the failure detected in said detection step is the type of failure of the print job to be suspended, the types of failures being inputted in said input step; and

a command transmitting step of transmitting a command to suspend processing of a currently submitted print job from said one apparatus to the other apparatus ~~in accordance with a failure that has occurred in said one apparatus during submission of the print job~~ in a case where it is determined in said determination step that the failure detected in said detection step is the type of failure of the print to be suspended.

Claim 28 (currently amended): A printing control method for transmitting print information via a network to cause another apparatus to perform printing, comprising:

a submitting step of submitting a print job from one apparatus to the other apparatus, said print job consisting of print information that has been generated by scanning in a document;

an input step of inputting a type of failure of the print job to be aborted and a type of failure of the print job to be suspended via an input unit;

a detection step of detecting a failure occurring in the printing control apparatus during the submission of the print information;

a determination step of determining whether ~~to abort or suspend processing of a currently submitted print job in accordance with a failure that has occurred in said one apparatus during submission of the print job~~ the failure detected in said detection step is the type of failure of the print job to be aborted or the type of failure of the print job to be suspended, the types of failures being inputted in said input step; and

a command transmitting step of transmitting a command to abort or a command to suspend processing of [[a]] the currently submitted print job from said one apparatus to the other apparatus in accordance with the determination made [[by]] in said determination ~~means~~ step.